

Fact Sheet

Governor's S.A.F.E. Communities Program Federal & Other Grants

Office of Kansas Governor Kathleen Sebelius

Governor's Discretionary Portion of the Federal Safe and Drug-Free Schools and Communities Act Program (SDFSCA)

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The Governor's Discretionary Portion of the Federal Safe and Drug-Free Schools and Communities Act Program (SDFSCA) supports programs that prevent violence in and around schools; that prevent the illegal use of alcohol, tobacco and drugs; that involve parents and communities; and that are coordinated with related federal, state, school and community efforts and resources to foster a safe and drug-free learning environment to support student academic achievement. The U.S. Department of Education provides funding for this grant.

In FY 2005, 16 grant projects received \$757,748 to provide school and community-based programs to prevent illegal alcohol, tobacco and other drug use and other drug and violence prevention programs for youth and adolescents.

The following is data on the individuals served and the services provided by SDFSCA funded grant projects for FY 2005.

Groups Receiving Services	
School-aged youth attending public or private schools	15,228
School-aged youth, not in school (e.g. dropouts, incarcerated)	65
Parents or guardians	2,973
Law enforcement officials (including district attorneys)	57
Teachers and other school personnel	1,298
Other community members	1,337
Younger than school-aged youth	1,281

Age Groups Served	
Less than 5 years old	1,329
5-9 years old	5,152
10-12 years old	4,947
12-15 years old	3,535
16-18 years old	1,631
19 years +	5,645

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